

Momentum and Impulse (Chapter 9)

Law of Conservation of Momentum

Lab next class - explosions + collisions

Look at a cart mass 1.0 kg moving at 2.0m/s. If we drop another 1.0 kg on the cart, what is the speed of the cart after the mass is added?

Momentum

recall: inertia is the tendency to stay at the same speed and direction.related to mass.
momentum is different. It involves both inertia and motion.

symbol: p (why, why not - m is taken, greek word pneumatics - motion)

equation: $p=mv$

product of mass and velocity

units: kgm/s (change in momentum is given in Ns)

vector - direction is important

Impulse:

Newton's second Law

$$F_{\text{net}} = ma = m(\Delta v / \Delta t)$$

assumes mass is constant

$$F_{\text{net}} = \Delta mv / \Delta t = \Delta p / \Delta t$$

$\Delta p = F_{\text{net}} \Delta t = \text{impulse} = \text{area under the } F_{\text{net}} - t \text{ graph}$

another form of Newton's second Law

that is more general - it includes problems where the mass is changing

eg. You throw a 145g baseball at 95 miles and hour (95 miles/hour (1600m/1mile) (1hour/3600s)

$$95 \times 1600 / 3600 = 42.2222 \text{ m/s}$$

What is the impulse and force on the ball if

a) it comes to a stop over 0.20s in the catcher's mitt. $p_f - p_i = \text{impulse} = Ft$

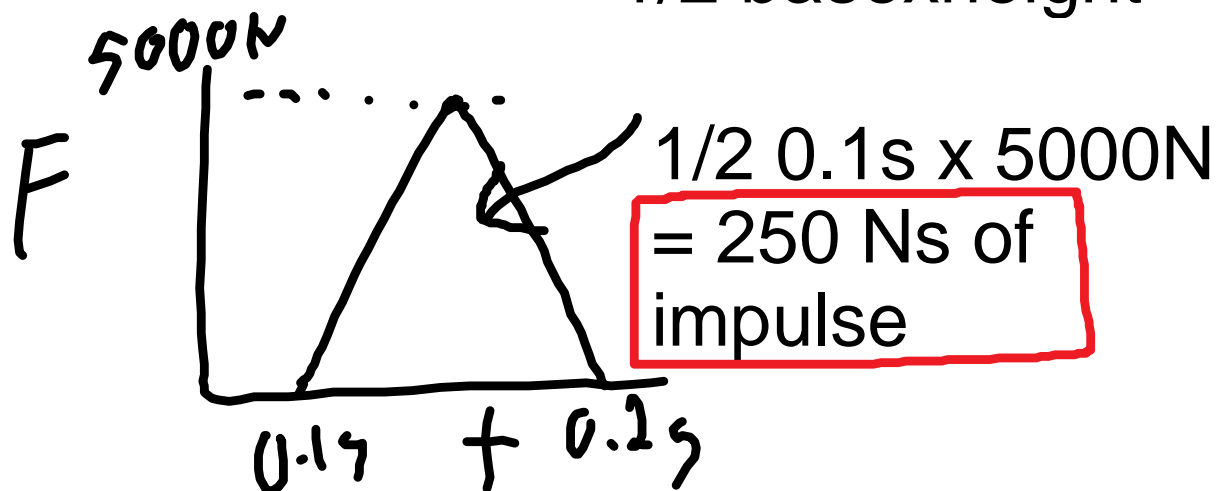
b) it hits a window for 0.050s and goes through at 22m/s

c) it is hit by a bat and goes back at -52

m/s with 0.030s of contact time

d) if the force time graph looks like this:

area = impulse
 $1/2 \text{ base} \times \text{height}$



a) $\Delta p = p_f - p_i = 0$ (the ball stops) - mv

$$= 0 - 0.145\text{kg} \times 42.22 \text{ m/s} =$$

$$-0.145 \times 42.22 = -6.1219$$

$$\text{impulse} = -6.1 \text{ kgm/s or Ns}$$

$$\text{N} = \text{kgm/s}^2 \quad \text{Ns} = \text{kgm/s}^2 \times \text{s} = \text{kgm/s}$$

$$\Delta p = F_{\text{net}} \Delta t \text{ so } F_{\text{net}} = -6.1 \text{ Ns} / 0.20\text{s}$$

$$F = -31\text{N}$$

b) $\Delta p = p_f - p_i = (0.145\text{kg} \times 22\text{m/s}) -$

$$(6.122\text{kgm/s})$$

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$$\text{impulse} = -2.9 \text{ kgm/s}$$

$$F_{\text{net}} = -2.9 / 0.05 = -58 \text{ N}$$

c) $\Delta p = p_f - p_i = (0.145 \text{ kg} \times -52 \text{ m/s}) - (6.122 \text{ kgm/s})$

$$0.145 \times 52 = -7.54 \quad -7.54 - 6.122 = -13.662$$

$$\text{impulse} = -14 \text{ kgm/s}$$

$$F_{\text{net}} = -14 / 0.03 = -4.7 \times 10^2 \text{ N}$$

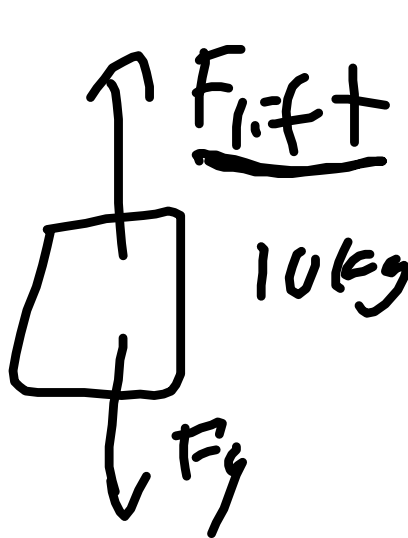
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$$F_{\text{net}} = ma = \underline{\sum F}$$

$$7.0 \text{ kg} (4.0 \text{ m/s}^2) = F - 5 \text{ N}$$

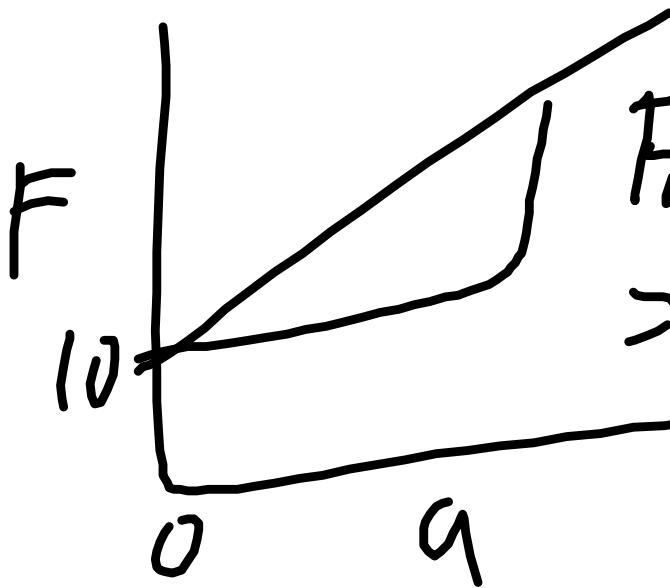
$$F = 28 + 5 = \boxed{33 \text{ N}}$$

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$$ma = F_{\text{lift}} - F_g$$

$$F_{\text{lift}} = ma + mg$$



$$F_{\text{net}} = ma = F_a - F_f$$

$$= \frac{30 \text{ N}}{6 \text{ m/s}^2} = 5 \text{ kg}$$